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WEATHER REPORT.
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MR. BYRAN'S FIRST DIPLOMATIC COUP

Awaits Official Word From Minister Beaupre at Havana.

BACK DOWN OF GOMEZ.

New Secretary of State's Move an Indiction of How Well he Knows Game of Diplomacy.

Washington, March 10.—Secretary of State Bryan has put over his first diplomatic coup and the State Department was waiting today for official word from Minister Beaupre, at Havana, on just how much a victory the new regime has obtained in the Cuban situation. That President Gomez heeded the warning conveyed in Bryan's first note and has disapproved the general amnesty bill was accepted as an indication of how well Bryan knew the game of dipomacy.

Contrary t the Knox policy, Bryan did not make public the text of his two communications with the Cuban president. It was known, however, that they were couched in tart terms. Minister Beaupre was instructed to convey America's emphatic disapproval of the amnesty bill, on the ground that its enlarged scope would result in a general jail delivery of Cuban malcontents. When Gomez let this message go unheeded and it was reported that he had approved the bill, Bryan sent another hot "call down" to the Cuban executive. Gomez then receded. Official notice of his approval of the bill was withheld, and now the executive will gracefully turn about and announce his veto. The Cuban congress is then expected to re-enact the bill in a modified form, so as to grant freedom to negroes imprisoned because of the Orient revolution.

Bryan inherited Knox's feeling that there may yet be trouble in Cuba, with discontent apparently breeding throughout the island and he proposes to maintain a firm stand under the Platt amendment of the Cuban treaty, to repress any act which might cause a revolution to frame out.

Stenographer Leaves For Home.

Washington, March 10.—Miss Salome Tarr, President Wilson's private stenographer at Trenton, while he was governor of New Jersey, today left Washington for home without a job. President Wilson made every effort to find suitable work for Miss Tarr, but all choice positions she wanted were under civil service rule.

Alleged Insult to Women.

Boston, Mass, March 10.—A policeman paid to protect the women marching in the suffragette parade at Washington, actually spat upon one middle-aged lady, according to Miss Annie Page, of this city, who was one of the marshals.

Letters of protest were sent today to Congressmen by prominent Massachusetts suffragettes, who say they suffered great indignities in the hands of hoodlums encouraged by grinning policemen.

"I was a marshal in the suffragette parade in New York last year, and the Tenderloin wasn't a patch to Washington," said Miss Page.

"Sylvester said 'nothing had happened.' I don't see how its possible for Sylvester and some others to escape being broken on the wheel. I hope they will be broken."

Squirrel Stops Traffic.

Washington, March 10.—A plain, or dinary squirrel stopped traffic on Connecticut avenue for a time today. The rodent calmly sat on the street car tracks munching a nut. The tenderhearted motormon didn't see him until a few feet away, and then he jammed on the emergency break. Everybody in the car slid forward, some falling. The squirrel didn't budge, then somebody tried to coax him away, automobiles and carriages meanwhile coming to a halt until the animal made his way leisurely across the street.

Seminole Tribe, No. 35, I. O. R. M., will meet Tuesday evening, March 11th at 7:30 o'clock. Business of importance.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

Repeatin ga scene he had seen portrayed in a motion picture theatre, in which a husband shot an unfaithful wife, little 11-year-old Russell W.Lowrey, Saturday shot and seriously wounded his sister, Annie S. Lowrey, 9-years old in their play room on the third floor of their mother's home, 209 C. St., northwest, Washington. The little girl, unconscious and with her arms horribly mangled by the buckshot, was rushed to the Emergency Hospital, where her condition is regarded as critical. It was necessary to amputate the little girl's right arm, just below the elbow because the bone had been shattered. The left arm, although riddled with shot, will be saved unless complications set in.

Although not officially announced, there is no question that President Gomez, of Cuba, has vetoed the general amnesty bill of Cuba immediately after receipt of another peremptory remonstrance from the American Minister Arthu M. Beaupre. The vetoing of the bill is not generally known in Habana, only rumors to that effect having been circulated. The indications are that Congress will proceed to pass the bill stripped of all the features which are considered objectionable by the administration at Washington.

Vinton Fitzgerald, 11 years old, of Huntington, W. Va., shot and instantly killed himself yesterday afternoon by the ccidental discharge of a gun, while he was playing "Indian."

It is said President Wilson has no intention of removing Republicans before the expiration of the terms for which they were appointed. This rule will apply to ll administrative positions where the incumbents have nothing to do with the shaping of policy. It affects postmasters, collectorships, bank examiners, and practically all of the government service outiside of Washington.

St. Martin's Holy Name Society held a meeting last night in the parochial hall of St. Martin's Church, Washington. It was learned last night from officers of the Holy Name Society in St. Martin's parish, that criminal action is being urged by that organization against a dealer in Washington who, it is alleged, is responsible for the spread of a spurious "Knights of Columbus oath," and who is also charged with selling literature of an obscene nature.

Rev. G. M. Diffenderfer, president of the West Pennsylvania Synod of the Lutheran Church, appeared at the Seven Valley, Pa., yesterday, and announced to the three congregations that their pastor, Rev. John Erler, would be denied the right to preach any more sermons, because his certificate of transfer from a New York Conference had been revoked. It is said that there is a charge of gross immortality preferred against the minister, which is being investigated by the New York Conference.

The Goldsboro, N. C., negroes yesterday cleared up a counterfeit mys_terday cleared up a counterfeit mysboro, when a woman confessed that she started a Confederate bill in circulation, under the belief that Woodrow Wilson's election restored the money of her masters.

The London suffragettes held meetings again yesterday in Hyde Park and on Wimbledon Common. Wild scenes ensued. Five thousand persons assembled in the park and swarmed about the speakers' platforms and by a deafening din prevented any word of "General" Mrs. Flora Drummond's speech from being heard. At Wimbledon similar scenes were enacted. Scrcely a word uttered b ythe speakers was audible, and they too, had to be protected. Another meeting, at Hampstead Heath, was still more disorderly. Miss Brackenbury announced her intention to speak for an hour. The singing of comic songs and the shouts and laughter of the disturbers could be heard half a mile distant. Eggs were thrown at the speakers, and the meeting finally broke up in the greatest confusion. Many suggestions were made to duck the speakers in a pond.

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SYLVESTER IS ON THE DEFENSIVE

575 Policemen Tried to Maintain Order Last Monday.

NO TROUBLE TUESDAY.

Miss Richards Scores Washington Officers, Saying They Practically Abandoned Their Duty.

Washington, March 10.—The Senatorial investigating committee which is attempting to fix the blame for the rowdyism and lack of police protection attending last Monday's suffrage parade today elicited from Chief of Police Sylvester that while 575 policemen were unable to maintain order on March 3d, on March 4th, inauguration day, 367 officers kept Pennsylvania avenue absolutely clear.

Sylvester continued his defense today, reading reports of his police captain. Captain Daley, in charge of 73 men stationed on Pennsylvania Ave., between four and a half and seventh streets, reported that if there were any insults shouted at he women marchers, he and his men hadn't heard them. He said the line of march was clear and the paraders unobstructed. Questioned by Senator Jones brought out that while the greater part of Pensylvania Avenue was cleared at 12:30, Daley's section was not until two hours later. Sylvester said he would investigate the matter.

Miss Janet Richards, one of the marchers in the parade, swore today that at one point on the line of march a sergeant and 17 patrolmen apparently abandoned any duty at all. She gave the numbers of a score of bluecoats.

MRS. PROCTOR'S OPENING.

Beautiful Display of Spring Millinery To Be Seen.

Tomorow will mark the opening display of spring millinery by Mrs. E. A. Proctor at 614 King street. It is said that the display is the prettiest and the styles more attractive than have ever been shown at this well known millinery establishment. Attention is called to the advertisement on page 2 of the Gazette inviting the ladies of Alexandria to be present tomorrow.

President Baseball Fan.

Washington March 10.—President Wilson is a baseball fan. He let it be known today that he intends taking advantage of the customary passes which the American and National League have always issued to the nation's chief executive, and will witness as many games here as he can.

Ex-President Taft was an occasional visitor to the Washington baseball park. The late vice-president Sherman seldom missed a game.

Ben Johnson, president of the American League, has sent the President a season pass, to all games played in the National Capital during 1913. A similar pass will be issued during the succeeding years of President Wilson's term and the President has eagerly agreed to take advantage of this honor on every available occasion.

Earthquake in Guatemala.

Washington, March 10.—Complete destruction of Guajimquilapa, the capital of Santa Rosa, Guatemala, with great loss of life and property through out all the country within a radius of 18 miles from that city was reported by the American Minister at Guatemala City today to have been the result of Saturday's earthquake. Because all communication with the stricken territory has been cut off particulars are meager. Relief expeditions have been sent from Guatemala City.

Sea Girt, N. J.—Because she did not know it was necessary for her to take the civil service examination, Mrs. Mary A. Blakey, postmistress here for 17 years, has lost her position.

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY.

Alexandria National Bank Was Nine Years Old Yesterday.

The Alexandria National Bank celebrated its ninth birthday yesterday as it was opend for business on March 9th, 1904. During the nine years its growth has been most remarkable and its deposits have grown until they now reach the total of $576,865.33.

Shortly after the bank opened on March 28th, 1904, there was a call from the comptroller of the treasury and its deposits then were $95,177.47. By the next year they had jumped to over $200,000, and since then there has been a steady growth until the present figures were reached last February.

NEW WESTMINISTER HALL.

Edifice Will be Dedicated With Appropriate Exercises During Last Week of March.

Westminister Hall, the new building of the Second Presbyterian Church on the northeast corner of Prince and St. Asaph streets, is rapidly approaching completion. The interior finishings are being prosecuted rapidly, and within a few days all will be ready for the formal dedication exercises.

Many people inspected the building daily, and all admitted that everything which tends toward comfort and convenience has been anticipated. There will be an abundance of light, and there is every reason to believe that during the summer months the perfect ventilation will render conditions in every apartment pleasant.

The room which will be used by the Sunday school proper is commodious, the section for the infant classs ample, while rooms for advanced Bible classes have been provided.

Rev. Dr. J. L. Allison announced yesterday morning that the building will be dedicated March 25, 26, and 27. The first night will be devoted to Sunday school work, the program being under the charge of the Sunday school teachers and children. The following night the program will be under the direction o fthe congregation, and it is expected that former pastors of the church will take part in the services The last night ministers of other churches in Alexandria, and several prominent laymen will be in charge of the program.

CARDINALS GETTING READY.

Practicing Hard for Game With Climbers on March 31st.

Only twenty days more and the Cardinals will play their first game of the season against Manager Clarke Griffith's, "Climbers" of the American League fame and with good weather for out door practice and the benefit of having the Armory Hall, to work out the players during bad weather, the players as a whole should be in good condition and should be able to make a showing which will surprise their followers who have supported the teams in the past.

Manager Crump, of the Cardinals, states that he expects a large turn out of ball players Tuesday night at Armory Hall, and that only those who report to him then will be given any consideration when final selections for the team is made. It is also requested that members of last year's Cardinal who have a suit or any part of one turn them over to Assistant Manager Owens on Tuesday night, as it is necessary to clean and press them during the coming week and the slightest delay will cause a hitch in the plans.

Not including the practice games which will be played with the Alexandria High School, the schedule for games to be played in Alexandria is as follows:

April 5, Business.
April 10, Central.
April 12, Army and Navy School.
April 16, Eastern.
April 19, Bankers.
April 23, Open.
April 26, Western.
April 30, Piedmont A. C.

GRAND MATRON COMING.

Mrs. Annie S. Reade of Richmond, Grand Matron of State of Virginia of the Order of the Eastern Star will be tendered a reception tomorrow night in Masonic Temple by Martha Washington Chapter, No. 42. The annual election of officers of the same chapter will be held on March 18th.

LOST—Signet Ring. Initials "T. E. M." between Washington street and Patrick or King. Please return to 100 King. 10 St.

TO PASS THROUGH SIFTING PROCESS

Clark Not Compelled to See Bryan in Presenting the Names of Persons.

WILSON TO GET LIST.

Secretary of State Will Pass on Speaker's Candidates, But President's Action to be Final.

Washington, March 10.—Speaker Champ Clark will not have to see Secretary of State W. J. Bryan, whom Clark regards as his bitter enemey since the Baltimore convention to have certain of his Missouri candidates for diplomatic and consular posts considered. He will present his list to President Wilson.

This was made certain by an announcement at the White House today further explaining President Wilson's plan to have his cabinet advisers act as "sifters" of appointments. Senators and representatives, it was stated, have a constitutional right to have their suggestions as to appointees considered by the President, and this right will be observed. It remains, however, strictly within the discretion of the executive what action shall be taken on these requests. They may be referred back to cabinet heads for the "sifting" process.

Speculation as to whether Clark would have to "see" Mr. Bryan on the appointments gave rise to considerable comment in the national capital. The speaker has been exceedingly bitter against the Nebraskan.

Under the rule, as announced today, Clark will not have to see Bryan but Bryan may pass on Clark's candidates, although final words rests with President Wilson.

Furnish Transportation.

The money brokers and pawn shop keepers driven out of Washington by the drastic terms of the bill passed by the last congres shave not only established offices at the Virginia end of the long bridge which connects District of Columbia with Virginia, but have organized a free automobile service from Washington for intending borrowers.

The motor cars cruise about the broad avenues of the Capital, pick up the "financially embarrassed" ones, and carry them where they can transact business.

CONSIDERING APPEAL.

The contest growing out of the interpretation of the State law and affecting the seats in the City Council held by Urban S. Lambert, of First Ward, and R. M. Graham, of the Second Ward, is being considered today by the Supreme Court of Appeals. These two members of the local governing body were elected by members of Council to fill vacancies from their respective wards. At the following election the people of the wards elected Robert S. Barrett from the First Ward and William Desmond from the Second ward to fill the same vacancies. Quo warranto proceedings were filed by the last two men to secure the seats in Council and a decision in their favor was rendered by Judge Chichester of Fredericksburg. An appeal was taken and the question is now before the highest court of the State.

CORPORATION COURT.
(Judge L. C. Barley Presiding.)

The Corporation Court had before it today the case of J. W. Hurley vs. J. Milton Hopkins, the plaintiff claiming $75 damages for injury to his automobile in coming in contact with the carriage o fthe defendant. The latter has instituted a cross suit in which he is suing Hurley for damages to his vehicle. The jury is composed of three lawyers—Messrs. James R. Caton, Eugene B. Taylor and Charles B. Corgan—and Messrs. William Bauder and Joseph H. West.

Killed by Explosion.

Ayreshire, Scotland, March 10.—Eight men were reported killed and many others seriously injured, in an explosion today that wrecked Nobel's Dynamite Works here.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Miss Mary Lyons, of Salisbury, N. C., who spent inaugural week at the home of her brother, Mr. Fred J. Lyon, 1102 Prince street, this city, returned to her home in Salisbury yesterday morning on No. 43.

Misses Lottie and Marion Brown, of Washington, D. C., were the weekend guests of Miss Kathryn Brill in Duke street.

Mr. Frank Ort and Mr. Brian Tucker have returned to their homes in Frostburg, Md.

Mary Custis Lee Chapter will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in Lee Camp Hall.

The Willard W. C. T. U., will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at 803 King street.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Lucy E. Studds, widow of Isaac M. Studds, whose death occurred late Friday night, took place from the residence, 719 Gibbon street this afternoon

Alexandria Lodge of Elks No. 758, will hold a regular meeting tonight when a number of visitors are expected to be present.

In the Circuit Court this morning a deed was placed, on record transferring from Joseph A. Burkhard, trustee and others, to Frank J. Graf, a lot of ground bounded by Cameron, Queen, Henry and Fayette street. A second deed was also filed transferring the same property from Graf to the Gottschalk Company of Baltimore.

May Evans, Florence Williams, Nellie Gross and Elizabeth Fredericks, who have been held as witnesses in the case of the United States government against Minnie Hahn, charged with violations of the white slave law, were released Saturday night by United States Commissioner Garnett

The regular monthly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce will be held tonight when several matters of importance will be considered.

Members of the Columbia Steam Fire Engine Company will have an oyster roast at the engine house tonight.

Mrs. C. E. Bradley is to have her spring presentation of millinery models the early part of next week.

POLICE COURT
(Justice H. B. Caton, Presiding.

James Supple, charged with disorderly conduct, forfeited his collateral by failing to appear.

Emile Carter, suspected of robbing E. J. Erukson, was dismissed, the complainant failing to appear.

Lucy Miller, charged with vagrancy, was sent to the workhouse for twenty days.

TWO FARMS SOLD.

Two of the finest farms in Fairfax county, four miles from Alexandria, have been purchased by H. T. Wilson, a wealthy resident, of New York. The Hollin farm, consisting of about 300 acres was purchased from R. M. Pettit and the Simpson farm, consisting of 50 acres, from Harry Simpson, both of Alexandria. Mr. Wilson will erect a handsome residence on the property.

GOLDSMITH'S RETIRING SALE.

Large Stock of Goods to be Closed Out by Alexandria Merchant.

After twenty-five years in business in Alexandria, E. Goldsmith, one of the best known clothing merchants, has decided to retire from business. His large stock of goods, consisting of the very latest wearing apparel for men, women and children will be sold out regardless of cost. The sale will commence on next Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. The store is closed at present in order that the stock can be arranged and marked down.

The sale will be conducted by the American Special Sales and Salvage Company, and a splendid opportunity is given to purchase the first class goods at very reasonable reductions.

Norfolk Oysters at Rammel's Cafe.

PREPARING FOR TARIFF REVISION

Free Lumber, Sugar, Farm Machinery and Implements Probable.

RAW WOOL UNCERTAIN

Raises Storm of Protest From Southern Protectionists Democrats From Lumber Districts.

Washington, March 10.—Free lumber, sugar and farm machinery and implements are tairff revision certainties, according to information today from the members of the House Ways and Means Committee. Placing of raw wool upon the free list is still underemined, with prospects that a 20 per cent ad valorem on this product will be settled upon.

While the free list will be one of the last tariff bills framed and presented in the next session of Congress, it was learned today that the measure as passed last session and vetoed by Taft is scheduled for considerable "pruning."

Decision to place lumber on the free list has already raised a storm of protest from Southern "protectionists" Democrats, who have extensive lumbering interests in their districts. Senator Simmons, of North Carolina has announced opposition to the free lumber program in the Senate. The duty on lumber now averages 7 per cent, which the Southerners declare is little protection against Canadian imports.

Rep. Brousard, of Louisiana, has announced opposition to placing sugar on the free list. He is supporting the support of the "western combine"—Democrats from a dozen western states who have formed a self-protective working organization. Many of the Western Democrats have beet sugar interests at stake.

To fill the new free list with articles of farm use, giving the farmers the principal benefit of complete lack of imports on materials they use is the Democratic program.

Today the Ways and Means Democrats resumed work upon the tariff bills, reading the schedules paragraph by paragraph, and voting upon each item. Results of their deliberations are kept in absolute secrecy as far as the actual revision figures go.

A conference between Rep. Underwood, majority leader, and President Wilson will be had before the extra session. The date of the opening of the special tariff session is dependent upon the speed with which Underwood and his associates are able to frame the tariff measures. But if all are not compelled by April 1, the House can begin work on those then ready.

A special "tariff caucus" of the Democrats will precede the opening of Congress, to smooth out or fight out opposition to the committee's revision program.

Death of H. H. Miller.

Henry Hallowell Miller, a prominent citizen of Sandy Spring, Montgomery Md., died suddenly Saturday afternoon in a sanatarium in Frederick county, where he had been under treatment several weeks.

The deceased had a number of relatives, friends and acquaintances in Alexandria.

Mr. Miller would have been 58 years old in May. He was a son of the late Francis Miller and wass life-long resident of the Sandy Spring neighborhood. He leaves a widow, who was before her marriage a Miss Gray, of Washington, a son (Francis Miller, teller in the First National Bank of Sandy Springs) and two daughters Misses Katherine and Barbara Miller,) He also leaves two brothers (George B. Miller, of Wilmington, and Guion Miller, of Easton, Md.,) and a sister, (Mrs. Margaret Janney, of New York.)

The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company is erecting wireless towers on its passenger stations at Scranton, Pa., and Binghamton, N. Y., and expects to transmit wireless messages to and from its moving passenger trains.

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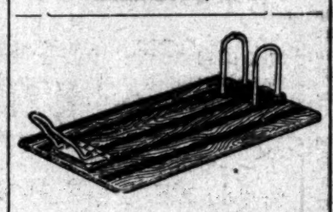

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings in Society.

Mrs. Justus Schneider is suffering with an attack of grippe at her home in north Washington street.

Mrs. Joel J. Barnett, of Baltimore, is the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Payne, at their home in Rosemont.

Mrs. F. W. Nelson, of Elk Hill, Bedford county, Va., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. J. Downey, at her home in Prince street.

Medical Director and Mrs. James Duncan Gatewood announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy Duncan, to Lieut. Earl North, corps of engineers, United States army. The wedding will take place in the autumn. Miss Gatewood has a number of friends in Alexandria where she with her parents and sisters, Misses Hallie and Hildreth Gatewood, formerly resided.

Misses Lou and Kate Strother, of Markham, Va., are visiting Misses Mary and Delia Phillips, in south Washington street.

Mrs. Dallas Richardson of south Alfred street, has had as her guest for the past week, her mother and brother, Mrs. M. V. Bowers, and Mr. Louis Bowers, her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Himdley, Mrs. L. B. Kellam, Mrs. J. H. Morris, and Miss Thelma Morris, all of Richmond, Va.

Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett, Mrs. Robert S. Barrett and Mrs. Gilbert Seawald have returned from a trip to New York.

Mrs. R. B. Washington and son, are visiting Mrs. Washington's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Washington in Washington for some weeks.

Miss Nellie Goodwin of Alexandria, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. L. Richards, in Gordonsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshal Jones, of Baltimore, are visitng Mr. Jones' parents, Dr. and Mrs. T. Marshall Jones in Prince street.

Misses Pearl and Maud Chapman, of Roanoke, have returned to their home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. William Schoeni, in south Lee street.

Miss Kathryn Brill entertained informally Saturday evening in honor of her house guest, Mrs. George Willison, Mr. Ort and Mr. Tucker, of Frostburg, Md., and Miss Estelle Kain, of Richmond, Va. Among the out-of-town guests were Misses Lottie and Marion Brown, of Washington, Mrs. F. Vaugh, of Richmond, Va., Messrs. Buroughs, Ryan and Warriner, of Washington, and Mr. Hellmuth, of Denver, Colorado.

Miss Lottie Brown, of Washington, entertained at an informal dance Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Estelle Kain, of Richmond, Va. Mr. Ort and Mr. Tucker, of Frostburg, Md., who have been the house guests of Miss Kathryn Brill of this city.

ROBBERIES IN SUBURBS.

Six Hundred Pounds of Meat Stolen From the Alms House Saturday Night

During the past few weeks several robberies have been reported in Fairfax and Alexandria counties, near this city, and, so far, no clue whatever has been obtained to the thieves. Hundreds of pounds of meat were carried away within a short period in Fairfax county, together with chickens, flour, meal, etc.

Last Saturday night the robbers turned their eyes toward the city alms house, and entering the premises, presumably with a horse and wagon, almost cleared the larder. About six hundred pounds of meat, which had been cured and stored in an outhouse for consumption in the institution was carried off.

Superintendent Joshua Sherwood reported the theft to the police and the authorities of the city and county are endeavoring to locate the thieves.

The alms house has for many years been immune from thieves. Shortly after the war, two darkies, whose exchequers were exhausted, went to the stable at that place and led a fine horse some distance outside the grounds where they killed the animal, flayed it and brought the skin to this city and sold it for $2.50. The negroes were caught and sent to the penitentiary for ten years.

SEEKS DIVORCE.

Virginia Woman Asks Court to Dissolve Bonds With Grandee.

Justice Barnard, of the District of Columbia, has signed an order appointing Ralph D. Quinter to defend the suit for annulment of marriage recently filed by Constance Lee Pastor against Senor Luis Pastor, formerly secretry of the Spanish legation in this city and now Spanish Minister to China and Siam. The case was referred to Jesse E. Potbury, an examiner in chancery, for the taking of testimony.

According to the order Senor Pastor was served with papers in the case January 30th last, but has failed to enter his appearance or make answer. As an annulment case cannot be taken as confessed, on the request of counsel for the wife the court appointed Mr. Quinter to defend. He will examine the witnesses introduced by the wife.

The details of the charges upon which the action is based have never been disclosed, as at the filing of the bill a court order was secured directing that all papers in the case filed in the court be sealed.

MILD WEATHER YESTERDAY.

Conditions yesterday were springlike. Mild weather, with fair skies and normal temperatures, is promised for the coming week to all sections of the country by the weather bureau.

"The distribution of pressure over the northern hemisphere," says the bureau's weekly bulletin, "is such as to indicate that the temperature during the current week will average near the normal over practically all parts of the country. Precipitation during the week will be generally light and local. It is not probable that any general storm will cross the country during the week.

SPECIAL GRAND JURY.

Return Indictments Against Six Persons Who are Charged With Felonies

A special grand jury of the Corporation Court met this morning at 11 o'clock to consider seven criminal indictments which were presented by Samuel G. Brent, Commonwealth Attorney. The jury had been summoned by orders of Judge Louis C. Barley, and was composed of the following: C. Harry Yohe, John Aitcheson, E. Goldsmith, Robert S. Barrett, Captain W. H. Sweeney, George D. Hopkins, J. Brooke Carter, Louis Bendheim and C. Conway Brawner. Mr. Hopkins was named as foreman.

After hearing a number of witnesses the jury returned the following true bills: Against Rozier Alexander, Ophelia Alexander and Alice Riddick, grand larceny; against William Jackson and Edward Johnson, for housebreaking, and against Eliza Taylor for petty larceny, third offense. The first three were implicated in the robbery of the Mt. Vernon storage rooms of several trunks of clothing and household goods; Jackson and Johnson broke a show window of a King street saloon and stole a bottle, and Taylor is a well known chicken thief. The indictment against L. H. Sheldon, charged with stealing a gold watch, was also considered and a true bill found.

DROPPED PLUNDER.

Shortly after nine o'clock Saturday night a young negro man entered J. H. Harris's store on the south side of King street, between Royal and Fairfax, and picking up a pair of pantaloons made off with them. The proprietor followed the negro, crying "Stop thief," and the fugitive, starting south on Fairfax street, dropped the pantaloons. Officer Campbell, who was in the vicinity, gave chase, but the negro managed to escape down Prince street.

SHOT AT DOG.

Some excitement was caused at the extreme western end of Prince street yesterday afternoon by the suspicious actions of a dog, which many persons believed to be suffering from rabies. Officer Kern appeared on the scene and attempted to kill the canine. The officer discharged his pistol at the dog but at ran away as though the bullet had not taken effect.

PROPERTY SALE.

The big frame building in St. Elmo, Alexandria county, built several years ago for hotel purposes when the Potomac freight yards were constructed nearby, was sold at public auction on the premises Saturday afternoon and bought by Wood Bros., Company, for $4,500. The sale was conducted by Samuel H. Lunt, auctioneer, for John D. Normoyle, trustee.

SUSPECT DISMISSED.

E. J. Erukson, residing at 111 south Columbus street, reported to the police Saturday night that his pocket had been picked of $23 while he was in the city market. Emile Carter was suspected of the crime and she was accordingly arrested. When the case was called in the Police Court this morning Erukson failed to appear and the accused was dismissed.

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NEWS OF THE OLD DOMINION.

VIRGINIANS SEEK OFFICE.

Lively Struggle Among Candidates For Federal Appointments.

Virginia office seekers have been busy around Washington since President Wilson was inaugurated. The biggest fights which have come to the surface are for the appointments of United States marshal and District Attorney for the Western district.

R. L. Ailworth, of Accomac; A. C. Jordan, of Northampton, and Harry C. Hall, of Portsmouth, are out for the marshalship. Hiram W. Smith, son of H. W. Smith, jr., the Richmond lawyer, and one of Wilson's political managers in the State, and T. J. Dewning of Richmond county, are having a nip-and-tuck contest for indorsements for the District Attorneyship. Friends of all these men have been in Washington.

W. H. Osborne, of Greensboro, N. C., is being strongly urged for the appointment of United States Commissioner of Internal Revenue, now held by Royall E. Cabell of Richmond, Va. Mr. Cabell's appointment was one of the first made by President Taft after he entered the White House four years ago.

DISASTROUS FIRE.

Several Buildings Destroyed in South Boston—Horses Burn to Death.

South Boston, Va., March 10.—Good work by the local fire department saved South Boston from a serious fire Saturday evening. The fire started in the stables of the Big Four warehouse and the laundry of Mr. E. N. Black was soon in flames.

The residence of Mrs. Samuels caught next and was soon destroyed. The laundry and all the new machinery which had just been installed was a total loss. By good work the Big Four warehouse and the residence of Mr. E. A. Willis were saved.

Six horses burned to death in the warehouse stables. The origin of the fire is not known. All of the buildings were insured.

DIES OF INJURY.

Fire Chief Wise And Chauffeur Cornell Released on Bond.

Richmond, March 10.—John E. Fittz, sixty-six years old, who was struck by the automobile of Assistant Fire Chief O. F. Wise shortly before 10 o'clock Friday night, as the latter was on his way to answer an alarm of fire at Twelfth and Clay streets, died at 3:50 o'clock yesterday at the city hospital, without regaining consciousness. Examination showed that he had been terribly injured by the tremendous impact of the automobile. Both legs were broken, severl ribs were fractured, his face was badly mashed, and he was internally injured.

Early Saturday night Detective Sergeant Wiltshire, who had made the previous arrest, arrested both Chief Wise and his driver, Leslie L. Cornell, on a charge of killing Mr. Fittz. They had expected the second warrant when they were informed of the death of Mr. Fittz, and took arrest quietly. They were each bailed in the sum of $1,000 for their appearance in Police Court on March 12th.

Fell Fifty Feet.

Lynchburg, Va., March 10.—Miss Lisa Worley, of Lynchburg, was seriously injured yesterday afternoon by a fall from Lovers' Leap, a popular resort, just outside the city. She fell fifty feet. The extent of her injuries are not known.

ALLENS IN COURT.

Want Them to Testify in Perjury Case Against Dexter Goad.

Richmond, March 10.—Now that friends of Floyd Allen and Claude Swanson Allen, the Carroll county clansmen condemned to die in the electric chair March 28th for complicity in the Hillsville court tragedy, have practically determined to institute criminal proceedings against several revenue officers and Dexter Goad, clerk of the Carroll court, for alleged false statements made on the witness stand during last trial of Claude Allen, it is stated, that an effort will be made to have the execution delayed so that old Floyd and his son might be used as witnesses in these proceedings.

It is stated that the Governor might be asked to grant them a respite pending a final decision in the perjury cases, in event it developed that the condemned men would not be allowed to testify, owing to the fact that the law does not recognize convicted felons a competent witnesses.

According to Hiram M. Smith, of counsel for the Allens, the perjury proceedings will certainly be initiated at the next term of the Wythe county court.

WOULD NOT FIGHT SOUTH.

Northern Man Who Sympathized With This Section Dies.

Williamsburg, Va., March 10.—The friends here of Milan Smith were shocked to learn that he had died Friday night while alone in his little cottage just east of town. Mr. Smith was a familiar figure on the streets here, and was in town yesterday, apparently in his usual robust health. Before leaving the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Parsley, with whom he boarded, he complained of not feeling well. He had been dead some hours when found this morning, probably from heart failure.

Mr. Smith was born in Ohio, but came here from Michigan about fifteen years ago. He purchased "Poplar Grove" farm in the lower part of James City and lived there until he sold the farm some years ago. Although a northern man he was a deep Southern sympathizer during the civil war. His story of how he evaded fighting against the South was a most interesting one. He tried to remain neutral and did so, but his neighbors in the North kept him on the move looking for a substitute, which he never found. He was a man of considerable means. He is survived by a number of children, all of whom live in the north except Dayton Smith, who has been in this section several years. Mr. Smith was past seventy-five years of age, but was active and well preserved.

Railway Station Destroyed.

London, March 10.—Fire today believed to be of suffragettes origin, totally destroyed the passenger station of the Great Western and Central Railways at Saunderton, in Buckinghamshire.

Placards found about the depot after the fire bore the legend: "Votes for women," and also there were found cards saying that the fire was the work of suffragettes, The police, though, admit that enemies of equal suffrage might have been responsible.

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NEGROES ARRESTED.

Band of Alleged Murderers Rounded Up in Lynchburg and Amherst.

Lynchburg, Va., March 10.—Four negroes who are alleged to have murdered a negro at White Sulphur Springs, Va., have been rounded up here and in Amherst county.

Waller Braxton and Jim Carpenter were arrested here and Hat Christian and Harry Campbell in Amherst. All of them are Amherst negroes.

A West Virginia officer is expected to take the negroes back for trial.

BIBLE AND PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Pastor of Richmond Church Disagrees With Conference.

Richmond, March 10.—A strong protest against the action of the Baptist Ministers' conference in sending a delegation to the city school board to urge that the resolution regarding the reading of the Bible in the school be rescinded is lodged by Rev. B. Lacy Hoge, pastor of Immanuel Baptist Church, on the ground that the action "puts the Baptists in a false light."

Dr. Hoge speaking of the appearance of Dr. George W. McDaniel, of the First Baptist Church; Henry R. Pollard, of Grove-Avenue Baptist Church, before the school board in company with Rabbi Callsch and a Unitarian minister, declares that he is in favor of reading the Bible in the schools, "and so are many other Baptist ministers and hundreds of Baptist people," and that he will not join hands with those who deny the deity of Christ in a fight on the Bible.

The various councils of the Junior Order of the American Mechanics of the Southside adopted resolutions yesterday endorsing the action of the school board.

Victims of Auto Accident.

Huntsville, Ala., March 10.—Two victims of a Sunday automobile accident, it was feared today would die, and two more were in a serious condition. The dying are Allen Hutchings and Ben Cooley. Owen Graham, who was driving the car along a country road when the tire burst, was badly hurt, as was his son Lyle. They will recover.

Another Strike.

New York, March 10.—A strike order affecting 20,000 women and girls employed in the Mises' and Childrens' Dressmaking trade wen tinto effect today and according to the official the union, in a statement this afternoon, was generally obeyed. The girls and women workers demand a fifty hour work week, a twenty per cent increase in wages abolition of the sub-contractors and tenement hours' work.

An attempt will be made to settle the strike by arbitration.

New York.—Three burglars, donning barber's coats and turning on the electric light, robbed the barber shop of Joseph Oska while unsuspecing policemen looked on.

Princeton, N. J.,—John Larsen, honorman at Princeton, and football star, is the son of a Chicago saloonkeeper, and himself worked as a bartender.

Cambridge, Mass.—Dr. Charles W. Eliot, president-emeritus of Harvard, says that neither shorter working hours nor higher wages are cures for the ills of labor. He advicates profit sharing plan.

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January 26th, 1907	352,157.54
February 14th, 1908	400,324.76
February 5th, 1909	400,137.43
January 31th, 1910	420,619.54
January 7th, 1911	511,823.07
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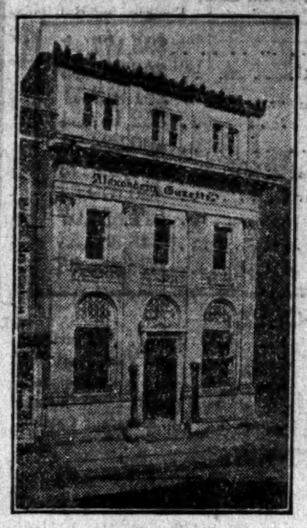

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OMINOUS CONDITIONS. IN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES.

In the present critical situation in European politics France, Germany, England and Russia are all watching each other to see which takes the first step. France's spirited response to the proposed military aggrandizement of Germany has done more toward insuring peace today and war tomorrow than any diplomatic move in the recollection of any person now living. On the other hand, Germany's lame explanation as to the causes of the enormous outlay and the increase of her peace army has deceived nobody.

It is admitted by all who are acquainted with the currents of diplomacy in Europe, that the coming of Poincare has put more electricity into the Franco-German situation than there has been in many years. The appointment of Delcasse, who has an avowed partisan policy as ambassador to St. Petersburg, constituted nothing less than a direct challenge to Germany, the answer to which has not yet been given and which, when it comes, may stagger the world with its suddenness.

Germany believes, that in view of the momentous policy foreshadowed by Delcasse's appointment, (viz, the triple alliance consisting of France, Russian and Great Britain directed against the Germano-Italian combination) discretion is at this moment her best policy or alternatively Germany may simply be observing a highly politic silence while finally giving a careful look at her own offensive and protective equipment.

That Germany, which insisted on the dismissal of Delcasse in 1906 as a result of the Moroccan imbroglio, giving the French the alternative of war, should now eat humble pie in the face of this open defiance from the new head of the republic at the present moment is ominous.

The policy of President Poincare is susceptible of only one explanation, namely, that whereas a certain measure of prudent passivity has characterized recent French governments, the present head of the republic means at least to try to reconquer for France some of her lost prestige in the concert with the powers as well as to break the political paramountcy of Berlin in Europe.

The situation at present depends principally upon whether Germany's war party will let pass their undoubtful chance to force the emperor into war.

Never within the past ten years, not even during the Dreyfus-Moroccan crisis, has a Franco-German war been nearer according to those who are scanning the European situation.

SMILES.

By The Second Ward Bard.

THE PIOUS MAN.

I knew a man who was as pious as a man could be,
He hated every sort of sin and all iniquity,
And he would raise his eyes to heaven in order not to see
The evils which the rest of us must face.
His path of rectitude had brought him wealth in goodly store,
So he had wondrous stacks of gold locked in his old cash drawer,
And, sometimes—rather sparingly—he gave to help the poor,
And felt himself a paragon of grace.

On Sundays at the service he used to pass the hat,
And hear the sermon from the Amen Corner where he sat,
And afterwards, outside the church, hold honor with his chat,
Us humble folks with whom he was a pet.
But once I got suspicious when he sold a horse to me
And told me that the beast was sound and gentle as could be,
I paid a hundred dollars for this animal that he
He had taken from a poor man for debt.

That horse had spavin, ringbone, colic and some other ills,
He bucked and kicked and bit and showed a lot of fancy frills,
And, when I couldn't cure him with the veterinary's pills,
I hit him with a pole ax on the head.
And then it didn't seem quite right the way that Christian man
Foreclosed the mortgage on my farm, and sent the moving van
To move me out and leave me where my poor career began,
To ask a neighbor for a meal and bed.

And then, a few years later, when he suffers from the dread
Rheumatics that had laid him low and brought him to his bed,
His heirs were quite impatient for the news that he was dead,
And they handed him no ends of knocks and roasts.
But when his lawyer brought the will and read it to the heirs,
They succumbed with indignation, and died right in their chairs,
This goodly man had left the cash, which they thought would be theirs,
To be spent in work among the heathen hosts.

Well, they're arguing the Barrett-Lambert case in the Supreme Court of Appeals today. Those old gentlemen have the last guess and we hope they'll guess soon, because our head is badly muddled with the conflicting opinions we've been listening to for the last nine months.

We're looking for ads in this column at the usual rates, but we won't roast you if you don't put them in.

Why is it you're weeping, my darling,
There's no use o' cussin' an' snarlin',
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An' 'twill be kind o' hard to beat Carlin.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

One hundred and sixteen passengers, all of whom were immigrants bound from Spain to Cuba with the exception of two first-class passengers, were rescued from the British steamer Lugano, ashore on the Ajax Reef off the Florida coast, by the tug Rescue yesterday. The British steamer Howth Head is ashore off Molasses Reef. The United States revenue cutter Miamia is standing by the ship and giving assistance. The Howth Head is reported to be leaking badly, and is carrying no cargo or passengers.

John Zimmerman, an office employe of the Frederick, Md., railroad, who was on a motorcycle, was injured in a collision with an automobile yesterday evening and died half an hour later at the Frederick Hospital. The responsibility of the accident is placed on Zimmerman. The autoist was J. Harry Bean, a real estate man of Washington.

Acting Chief of Police George Ettinger, of Monessen, Pa., was shot dead Saturday night at the door of a disorderly house which he and three officers were raiding. Ettinger, after stationing his men around the house, knocked at the rear door. The door was suddenly thrown open and a bullet was fired into the chief's heart. The slayer escaped by the front door, the officers on guard there having run to the rear on hearing the shot.

PARLIAMENT RECONVENED.

Much Apprehension of Suffragettes—Some Arrested.

London, March 10.—After possibly the shortest vacation in its history, the British Parliament convened in new session today. The last parliament was prorogued Friday, and the same members took their seats in the new session.

Not since a group of conspirators under the leadership of Guy Hawkes attempted to blow up Parliament in 1605 have the Parliament houses been subjected to such a thorough search and rigid inspection as today. Although the authorities were not actually apprehensive of another Gunpowder plot, they were fearful that the "bashi-bazoukesses" of Mrs. Pankhurst's militant suffragettes brigade might attempt in some way to muss up the stately ceremony with which the king formally re-started the British legislative mill.

At 1:30 p. m., the king left the palace, accompanied by Queen Mary and attended by an escort of the Life Guards His Majesty drove in the famous state coach. Arriving at the House of Lords, the king and queen donned their vestments of state. A procession headed by officers in brilliant heraldic uniforms escorted their majesties to the Lords Chamber. The peers were all in full robes and coronets. The galleries were filled with peeresses. The ambassadors gallery presented a brilliant appearance the only somberly clad diplomats being Irvin B. Laughlin, the American Charge d'Affairs and the French Ambassador.

King George followed tradition to the letter by wearing a crown.

Speaker Lowther, Premier Asquith and other commons officials with as many members of the House of Commons, as could find room took places at the bar of the House.

The lord chancellor presented to the king the parchment roll of the speech from the throne and King George read it.

The royal procession then passed from the chamber and parliament was in session.

In his speech the king regretted the failure of the Balkan-Turkish peace that was held in London, and expressed satisfaction with the ambassadorial consultations of the great powers, which, he said, resulted in an agreement in principal on some matters of greatest importance.

"We are hopeful that they will reach a complete understanding on all points of difference and preserve the peace of Europe," he said.

He pointed to the recent gift of a battleship by the people of New Zealand, as indicaive of an empire-wide desire for the preservation of the common safety.

The king's speech made no mention of votes for women, but he promised another franchise reform bill to do away with plural voting. He proposed restricting the industrial employment of children and the development of the nation's educational system.

Despite the vigilance of hundreds of Scotland Yard detectives, the suffragettes managed to get into the throngs that lined the streets through which King George passed today on his way from Buckingham Palace to open Parliment.

Five militants were arrested, as they forced their way to the royal coach and attempted to present a petition to the king, as the procession passed through Whitehall. Two other women, making a similar attempt were arrested at another point.

Elected Excellent President.

Dr. Charles T. Lindsey, of this city has been elected excellent president of the convention of high priests, a Masonic organization of Washington. Doctor Lindsey is a past master of Potomac Lodge No. 5, F. A. A. M.; a past high priest of Potomac Chapter, No. 8, Royal Arch Masons; a past commander and the present recorder of Potomac Commandery, No. 3, Knights Templar, and a past patron of Mizpah Chapter, No. 8, Order of the Eastern Star.

NOTICE.

A called communication of Martha Washington Chapter No. 42, Order Eastern Star will be held Tuesday, March 11th, at 7:30 o'clock to meet the Grand Matron of the State of Virginia.
By order of the Worthy Matron.
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At a Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, continued and held at the Court House of said City on Thursday, March 6th, 1913,
Present Hon. Louis C. Barley, Judge.
Irene Hall Staples
Vs. In Chancery.
Eugene Douglas Staples.

Upon the aplication of the complainant stating specifically the last known place of abode of the defendant, the Court on this 6th day of March, 1913, doth grant the following Order of publication:

The object of this suit is to obtain for complainant a divorce from the bond of matrimony from the defendante on the ground of desertion and for general relief, and an affidavit having been made and filed that the defendant, Eugene Douglas Staples, has not been found within the jurisdiction of the State of Virginia, and that he is a non resident of the said state it is ordered that he do appear within fifteen days after du epublication and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suite.

And it is further ordered that a copy of said order of publication be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, Virginia; that a copy be posted at the front door of the Court House of the said City on or before the next succeeding rule day after this order is entered and that a copy of said order of publication shall be sent by registered mail by the Clerk of this Court addressed to the said non-resident defendant at Manaos, Brazil, his last known place of abode.
A copy, Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
Leo P. Harlow, Clerk.
P. Q.

Alienists yesterday examined the first "crank" of the Wilson administration. The man gave his name as Dr. Charles A. Schwab, of Dallas, Texas. He is being detained in the Washington asylum, in which institution he was placed Tuesday when arrested by Secret Service men on his arrival in Washington. The man said he was on his way to the White house to be sworn in as President and he had in his possession a number of written messages purporting to have been sent to him by Chief Justice White, of the Supreme Court. It is believed that he wrote them himself.

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A WARNING.

To Whom It May Concern:

It having been called to our attention that there is an Order, the members and councils of which are endeavoring to leave the impression on prospective candidates, and the public that they are a branch or auxiliary of the Junior Order United American Mechanics, of Virginia, Inc., we feel that we should make a brief statement of the status of our Order.

On February 17, 1900, the General Assembly of Virginia granted our Order a charter to do business in this State. At the time there was doing business in Virginia the National Council, Junior Order United American Mechanics.

On the 29th day of June, 1901, our branch of the Order brought suit in the Chancery Court of the City of Richmond to prohibit the National branch from using our name, or any name of like import, and from using a seal with the name of Jr. U. A. M. on it, and from carrying out the objects for which we were organized.

On the 21st day of July, 1904, the Chancery Court decided that our Order was the only branch authorized to do business in Virginia, and in its decree the following language is used:

"And the Court doth further adjudge, order and decree that the said National Council of Junior Order United American Mechanics of the United States of North America, and the other defendants to the said bill * * * * * * * be and they are hereby, jointly and severally, perpetually enjoined and restrained from continuing the use within the State of Virginia of the name of the State Council of Virginia, Junior Order United American Mechanics of the State of Virginia, or any other name of like import likely to taken for that of plaintiff; and from the use of the seal of said plaintiff within the State of Virginia; and from carrying out, within the State of Virginia, under the name of the plaintiff, or any name of like import, any of the objects for which the said National Council of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics of the United States of North America, or the said voluntary Association organized on or about the 2nd of March, 1901, as aforesaid were organized; and from using within the State of Virginia the name of the said plaintiff or any other name of like import in the pursuit of the objects for which the said plaintiff was chartered * * * * * * * * and that the said National Council of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics of the United States of North America, and the said voluntary association organized on or about March 2nd, 1901, as aforesaid, and their agents and officers be, and they are hereby, perpetually enjoined and restrained from designating their officers within the State of Virginia by the appelations set forth in the bill used by the plaintiff for its officers or agents, and from continuing the use in the State of Virginia of said appellations."

The National branch of the Order felt itself aggrieved by the decree above quoted from, and the case was appealed to the Supreme Court of Virginia, and then to the highest court in the land—the Supreme Court of the United States, and was in both of these latter courts decided in favor of our branch of the Order.

The National Branch of the Order then applied to the State Corporation Commission for a charter and on the 29th day of December, 1906, the same was granted to it as the "Virginia Branch of the Junior Order United Americans"?

Our branch of the Order considering that this was violation of injunction granted by the Chancery Court, petitioned said court to summon the said officers of the National Branch before it to show cause why they should not be fined for contempt of court.

This the said Court did, and on the 8th day of May, 1907 entered its decree as follows:

"And the matter of the said rule having been fully argued by counsel, and maturely considered by the Court, the Court doth adjudge, order and decree that the respondents to said petition * * * and each of them have disregarded and disobeyed the decree of this court, entered on the 21st day of July, 1904, which has been heretofore affirmed by the decree of the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia and by the Supreme Court of the United States, in the following respects, viz: In disobeying the requirements of the act of the General Assembly of Virginia, passed on February 17th, 1900 * * * * * * and in disobeying so much of said decree as enjoined the carrying out within the State of Virginia under the name of the plaintiff, or any other name of like import, any of the objects for which the National Council of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics of the United States of North America, or the said voluntary association, were organized; or in using in Virginia the name of the plaintiff, or any other name of like import, in the pursuit of the objects for which the said plaintiff was chartered * * * * * and in disobeying so much of said decree as prohibited the National Council and the said voluntary association, their agents and officers, from designating their officers in the State of Virginia by the appellations set forth in the plaintiff's bill for its officers and agents, and continuing the use in the State of Virginia of said appellations.

And the Court, desiring to compel obedience to said decree, doth adjudge, order and decree that that persons above named be and they are, fined the sum of twenty-five dollars each, and the same shall be paid by them, respectively, to the clerk of this court within 35 days from this date, and in default of such payment, each of said persons shall stand committeed to the custody of the sheriff of this city to remain in jail until said sums be paid by them respectively."

This case was also appealed to the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia, and the Supreme Court of the United States, but was affirmed by these Courts.

It will be seen from the above quotations from the court's decision that the officers aid members of any Order which has our name, or any name of like import, and which undertakes to carry out the objects or our Order, or which interferes with our Order in carrying out its objects, or which uses the seal of our Order, is in contempt of court.

It is not our desire to resort to the Courts, but we feel that it is an obligation which we owe to our members, to see that the injunction order of the Chancery Court of the City of Richmond is not violated.

The foregoing is published as a warning to the general public.

E. B. WHARTON,
State Councilor.

426 N. 34th St., Richmond, Va.
March 8th to 12th.

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In the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on the 5th day of February, 1913, Samuel Harrington complainant, against Minnie Lemuel Butler Harrington, defendant.

An affidavit having been been duly made, as required by law, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, and that her last known place of address, residence and abode was 1218 King street, Alexandria, Virginia, and that she cannot be found within the jurisdiction of this court and the Sergeant having made a return upon the orginal process issued herein that the defendant is a non-resident of his bailwick, and application having been duly made in open court for an order of publication against said defendant to appear and answer a bill in chancery filed by the complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the ground of adultery, the object of complainant's suit being stated to be as follows, to-wit: The object of this suit it to obtain for complainant an absolute divorce from the defendant on the ground of adultery; to obtain custody of complainant's infant daughter Kathleen Elnora Harrington aged 7 years; to declare defendant's interest as wife in complanant's property extinguished; and for general relief, and order of publication having been duly granted in open court, it is therefore ordered that said defendant do appear here within fifteen days after the publication hereof to answer said suit and to do what may be necessary to protect her interest in said suit.

And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published according to law once a week for four successive weeks in The Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in Alexandria City, Virginia, and that a copy be sent by registered mail by the Clerk of this Court to the last known place of abode of defendant, to-wit: 1218 King street, Alexandria, Virginia, as stated in the application for the order of publication which shall be certified by the Clerk to the Court, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the court house of this court on or before the next rule day of ths court.

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Sundays—7:00, 7:35, 8:10, 8:30, 8:40, 9:00, 9:20 9:40, 10:00, 10:20, 10:40, 11:00, 11:20, 11:40, a. m., 12:00 m., 12:20, 12:40, 1:00, 1:20, 1:40, 2:00, 2:20, 2:40, 3:00, 3:25, 3:40, 4:00, 4:20, 4:40, 5:00, 5:20, 5:40, 6:00, 6:20, 6:40, 7:00, 7:20, 7:40, 8:00, 8:30, 9:00, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00 and 11:10 p. m.

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For Fredericksburg, Richmond, and points south at 4:27, 7:53, (local) and 10:02 a. m., 12:16, 3:22, 5:17 (local) 8:27, 9:52, 10.02 p. m., daily.

Accommodation for Fredericksburg at 11:13 a. m., daily. On week days this train runs through to Milford.

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One lot of about 200 Men's and Youth's Suits, mostly small sizes, that sold for $7.50 to $10, to be closed out at $1.95

MEN'S SUITS.
Fine lot of Men's Suits that are cheap at $10 to $12, to go at the ridiculously low price of..$5.65

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All of our famous Kirschbaum Suits that never sold for less than $20.00, sale price ..$9.15

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A lot of over 800 pairs of Men's Pants, that sold at high as $5.00, to be closed out at, a pair 89c

BOY'S PANTS.
A big lot of Boy's Knee Pants that sold at from 50c to 75c per pair, sale price 9c

MEN'S SILK HOSE.
Men's 50c silk Hose, sale price per pair 18c

LADIES' HOSE.
A big lot of ladies' fancy and drop stitched hose, 25c value, sale price per pair 8c

LADIES' AND MISSES' UNDERWEAR.
Ladies' and misses' Underwear, Vests and Pants, 25c and 35c values, sale price 16c

LADIES' AND MISSES' UNDERWEAR.
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Regular 25c values, to be closed out at per garment 13c

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Men's $1.00 and $1.50 soft Hats, sale price 25c

MEN'S B. V. D. UNDERWEAR.
B. V. D. Underwear, that sells the world over at 60c per garment to be closed out at 29c

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A big lot of Men's wool and leather gloves, 50c, 75c, and $1.00 values; going out of business price 27c

BLANKETS.
Heavy wool blankets, that sell everywhere for $3.50 and $4.00, sale price $1.65

BED COMFORTS.
Our entire stock of bed comforts that sold at $2.00, $2.50 and $3.00 to be closed out at 98c

MEN'S LINEN COLLARS.
All men's linen collars in the house, regular 2 for 25c values, to be closed out at each 3c

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Our entire stock of garters including the famous Brighton and Boston brands that sell the world over at 25c per pair, sale price 9c

MEN'S AND LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS.
Men's and ladies' handkerchiefs, 10c values, sale price 3c

PINS.
One dozen packages of pins, per dozen 9c

PEARL BUTTONS.
Good pearl buttons, at per dozen or card 1c

MENS HATS.
Men's John B .Stetson Hats that sell the world over at $3.50, closing out price $1.95

MEN'S SHOES.
A big lot of men's work and dress shoes, that sold for $3.00. Sale price $1.35

MEN'S SHIRTS.
Men's 50c unlaundered shirts, sale price 15c

MEN'S WORK SHIRTS.
Men's 50c work Shirts, sale price 33c

LADIES' SHOES.
Big lot of women's Shoes that sold as high as $2.50, while they last at going out of business price 95c

MEN'S UNDEWEAR.
All of our 50c fleeced lined underwear, to be closed out at per garment 29c

LADIES' SHOES.
Lot of Ladies' fine shoes that sold as high at $4. to go at $1.45

CLARK'S O. N. T. THREAD.
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MEN'S SUITS.
Lot of men's suits originally sold at from $3.00 to $12.50 to be closed out at $3.95

MEN'S SUITS.
Our entire line of $15.00 men's suits to go at the one price of $7.85

MEN'S SUITS.
All of our highest grade Kirschbaum hand tailored suits in newest styles and fabrics, regular price $27.50, sale price $13.48

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A nice assortment of boy's school suits with knickerbocker pants worth from $4.00 to $5.00, sale price ..$1.89

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A nice lot of boy's overcoats that never sell anywhere for less than $4. to $5, sale price $1.89

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One lot of high grade overcoats regular $20.00 to $25.00 values, sale price $8.98

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550 Odd Coats that belong to Suits which sold as high as $10.00, to be closed out at 55c

OVERALLS.
One lot of 50c and 75c overalls, pants and coats, sale price 21c

MEN'S SHOES.
A big lot of men's work and dress shoes that sold from $2 up; going out of business price 95c

BOY'S SHOES.
One lot of boy's shoes and oxfords that sold from $2.00 to $3.00, sale price 95c

MEN'S BOOTS.
Men's $5.00 leather boots, going out of business price $2.45

LADIES' SHOES.
1,000 pairs of women's and children's shoes and oxfords, odds and ends, take your choice at per pair..25c

OVERALLS.
All of our B. & O., Sweet Or, Southern and Mechanic brand Overalls, coats and pants, which sell regular from $1.00 to $1.25, white, blue and kaki colors, while they last at ..74c

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A lot of $1.00 and $1.50 men's stiff bosom Shirts 25c

MEN'S FINE DRESS SHIRTS.
Men's Fine Dress Shirts, white and colors in plaited and plain bosoms, regular $1.00 and $1.50 values, all new patterns 69c

MEN'S HOSE.
Men's 10c black, gray and tan hose; sale price per pair 3c

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Ladies' and misses' black and gray stockings, regular 10c values, sale price per pair 3c

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